

of the Committee on Public Relations, reported on a meeting held the previous day, at which discussion was held on a proposed program of public relations.

Mr. Hassard discussed a study which had been made on possible means of complying with the intent of Resolution No. 18 from the 1959 House of Delegates, which suggested the employment of outside public relations counsel. The resolution was referred to the Commission on Public Policy, which will make a further report.

Mr. Eugene Salisbury outlined a campaign of correspondence for the use of physicians in opposing federal legislation deemed inimical to the interests of the profession.

President Reynolds read an editorial from a San Francisco newspaper which suggested the removal of earnings limitations on recipients of Social Security benefits. On motion duly made and seconded, he was authorized to write to the paper and to Representative Curtin of Pennsylvania to indicate that the Association approves this type of legislation.

#### 12. *State Department of Public Health:*

Dr. Malcolm Merrill reported that Governor Brown had named the members of the Cancer Advisory Council and of the Citizens Committee on the Health Needs of the People.

#### 13. *Commission on Medical Education:*

On motion duly made and seconded, approval was

voted for two proposals submitted by the Commission on Medical Education.

On motion duly made and seconded, approval was voted to reduce the registration fees for post-graduate institutes to \$15 a member.

On motion duly made and seconded, approval was voted for a decision of the Committee on Scientific Work to oppose the creation of a new scientific section dealing with chest diseases.

A list of nonmembers to appear on the 1960 Annual Session program was presented and approved. On motion duly made and seconded, the staff was instructed to prepare By-Law amendments to eliminate the necessity of the Council supervising the list of guest speakers.

#### 14. *Tulare County Medical Society:*

Dr. L. E. Osgood of Visalia reported on the formation in his area of the American Patients' Association, a cooperative organization sponsored by college faculty members. On motion duly made and seconded, it was voted to offer assistance to the Tulare County Medical Society, under the supervision of the Commission on Medical Services, in observing this development.

#### *Adjournment:*

There being no further business to come before it, the meeting was adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

DONALD D. LUM, M.D., *Chairman*

MATTHEW N. HOSMER, M.D., *Secretary*

## **In Memoriam**

BRUST, PAUL RAYMOND. Died in San Diego, December 24, 1959, aged 65. Graduate of Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford-San Francisco, 1926. Licensed in California in 1926. Doctor Brust was a member of the San Diego County Medical Society. ♦

KOHLMOOS, HENRY J. Died in Piedmont, December 5, 1959, aged 94, of bronchopneumonia. Graduate of Hessische Ludwigs-Universität Medizinische Fakultät, Giessen, Hesse, Germany, 1893. Licensed in California in 1896. Doctor Kohlmoos was a retired member of the Alameda-Contra Costa County Medical Association and the California Medical Association and an associate member of the American Medical Association. ♦

MARCUS, JOSEPH HARVEY. Died in Los Angeles, December 24, 1959, aged 57. Graduate of Tufts University School of Medicine, Boston, Massachusetts, 1929. Licensed in California in 1930. Doctor Marcus was a member of the Los Angeles County Medical Association. ♦

PERELSON, HAROLD NATHAN. Died December 6, 1959, aged 50. Graduate of State University of New York College of

Medicine at New York City, Brooklyn, N. Y., 1935. Doctor Perelson was a member of the Los Angeles County Medical Association. ♦

RUSSELL, RALPH SWISHER. Died in La Jolla, December 10, 1959, aged 59. Graduate of University of Nebraska College of Medicine, Omaha, 1925. Licensed in California in 1939. Doctor Russell was a member of the San Diego County Medical Society. ♦

WORTHINGTON, LOIS CLAIR. Died in Bakersfield, December 20, 1959, aged 84. Graduate of Cooper Medical College, San Francisco, 1897. Licensed in California in 1898. Doctor Worthington was a member of the Kern County Medical Society. ♦

YOCOM, FRANK WILLIS. Died December 29, 1959, aged 75. Graduate of University of California School of Medicine, Berkeley-San Francisco, 1922. Licensed in California in 1922. Doctor Yocom was a member of the Los Angeles County Medical Association.